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INTERESTING LETTER

WRITTEN BY A NOTABLE WOMAN

Mrs. Sarah Kellogg of Denver, Color Bearer of the Woman's Relief Corps, Sends Thanks to Mrs. Pinkham.

Mrs. Sarah Kellogg

The following letter was written by Mrs. Kellogg, of 1638 Lincoln Ave., Denver, Col., to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass.: Dear Mrs. Pinkham:

"For five years I was troubled with a tumor, which kept growing, causing me intense agony and great mental depression. I was unable to attend to my house work, and life became a burden to me. I was confined for days to my bed, lost my appetite, my courage and all hope.

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Body Identified.

The body of an Italian riddled with bullets and with the throat cut, which was found in the Morris and Essex canal, on the outskirts of Newark, N. J., weighted down, on Tuesday last, was positively identified yesterday by Antonio Bozzuffi, son of John Bozzuffi, an Italian banker of New York, as one of the three men who kidnapped him on March 4 and held him as a prisoner in a house at 318 east Fifty-ninth street for three days. The lad declared that this was the man who kept guard over him in the house while the two others were away. The police theory is that the two other men involved in the kidnapping enticed this man to the lonely spot in which the body was found and there killed him in order to prevent his making known anything about the kidnapping. After they had put eight bullets into him and cut his throat, they tied a stone to the body and threw it into the canal. A part of the body rose, however, so that it was visible through the water. The three men who were arrested as having been connected with the kidnapping of Antonio were named Lupo Ignazo, Giusuppe Costanza, and Antonio Giamio. The first two were released early last week, because it was found that there was nothing on which to hold them. Giamio was arrested on an identification by the landlord of the house in which Antonio said he was held a prisoner. The landlord said that Giamio was one of the men who rented from him the room in which Antonio was kept. Giamio was released on Sunday last. It is expected that it will be possible soon to round up these three men if they have not left the vicinity, and the police are especially anxious to find Giamio.

End of the Silver Dollar Bar.

The old saloon of "Silver Dollar" Smith, in New York, which he made famous when he paved the floor with silver dollars to excite the wonder of the wealthy and the envy of the poor who patronized his bar, is shortly to disappear. It was sold yesterday to Roth & Berkowitz. They are going to tear it down and erect on the spot a furniture warehouse.

In the palmy days of Smith the saloon was the haunt of East Side politicians and one of the show places of the city. It was reported that the wealth sunk in the floor amounted to $1,000. There was a $5 gold piece in the centre of each square of marble pavement on the floor and a silver dollar in each corner. Smith kept a close watch on the dollars as long as he lived, and nobody ever got away with one.

After Smith died his widow needed the money and took the dollars from the floor and the glory from the place. The money had been worn on one side by countless feet, and was no good for currency. Mrs. Smith took it to the mint and disposed of it, according to one report, for half the amount it represented before it went to pave the floor.—[N. Y. Sun.

Hedgehogs and Snakes.

An interesting fact about hedgehogs that perhaps not many persons know is that the bite of even the most poisonous serpents has no effect on them whatever. Mr. Lenz, a naturalist, once watched a fight between a hedgehoge and a viper, and gives a most interesting description of it. He says that when the hedgehog came near the snake she began to smell it, for the sight of these animals is so poor that they depend almost entirely on the sense of smell, and then she seized its head with her teeth. In a moment the snake had freed itself, and, darting at the hedgehog, bit it several times, but the little animal did not seem to mind the bites at all, and when the snake was tired out with its efforts she again seized its head, which she ground beneath her teeth, poisonous fangs and all. Then she devoured almost the whole of its body. Mr. Lenz also tells of a pet hedgehog that he kept in his house in a large box. Several times he put some adders into the box, which the hedgehog did not seem to fear at all, but attacked them fiercely, and, as in the case of the other, was never in the least affected by their poisonous bites.—[Chicago Chronicle.

Car Wheel Gave Alarm of Fire.

Shrill as a woman's voice could have shrieked it, a piercing cry like that of "Fire" rang out upon the midnight air at Sonestown, Pa., Tuesday night, and the town whistle blended with it, so that everybody, leaping from bed, was sure the town was in peril. It was all caused by a screeching car wheel on a freight train on the North Branch road, and it is doubtful whether a real alarm of fire will ever arouse the town hereafter.

Starving to Death.

Because her stomach was so weakened by useless drugging that she could not eat, Mrs. Mary H. Walters, of St. Clair St., Columbus, O., was literally starving to death. She writes: "My stomach was so weak from useless drugs that I could not eat, and my nerves so wrecked that I could not sleep; and not before I was given up to die was I induced to try Electric Bitters; with the wonderful result that improvement began at once, and a complete cure followed." Best health Tonic on earth. 50c. Guaranteed by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons druggists.

Parkhurst Plot a Hoax.

With the nonchalant confession that nothing was true in either affidavit he had sworn to Lawrence Rogers, who unearthed the police plot to kill Rev. Charles H. Parkhurst, admitted yesterday afternoon before Magistrate Wahle, in the Tombs Police Court in New York that he had perjured himself when he made the charges implicating Sergt. John H. Shields, of the west 100th street police station, and Policeman John Phelan, of the traffic squad. As had been indicated by remarks let drop by Rogers before he took the stand, the investigation of the man's sensational charges had a farcial ending. He was at once placed under arrest on a charge of perjury and turned over to the custody of Sergt. Shields. The irony of his fate struck him as being funny. He laughed as Shields took hold of his arm. In confessing the part he played in the farce, Rogers implicated Robert J. Kelley, a lieutenant of Parkhurst in Brooklyn and agent of the Citizens' Union. He said the plot to accuse the policemen of conspiracy to kill the clergyman was hatched at the instigation of Kelley, because "the job over in Brooklyn was getting on the Fritz." He declared Kelley cherished a grudge against Shields and Phelan and instructed him to concoct the murder plot story.

Suicide at Telephone.

Dr. Ellis Dixon, aged 32, a prosperous dentist, of Frankfort, Ind., Wednesday afternoon called up Miss Bessie Buchanan, of Indianapolis, on the telephone. They were soon to be married, and he discussed the event pleasantly with her for a few moments. Then there was a hasty, half-smothered "Good-by" over the 'phone and the sound of a shot and crash. Then the conversation ended.

Miss Buchanan, thoroughly alarmed by the unexplained termination of the conversation and the noise, frantically tried again and again to ring up the Frankfort office, but could get no connection. Finally she called Otto Gruber, the room-mate of Dr. Dixon, and told him of her fears.

He immediately went to the office and found that Dixon had blown out his brains while talking to Miss Buchanan. He was leaning back in the chair, the receiver still pressed to his ear.

Gruber says he had noticed for several days that Dr. Dixon's mind was affected and that he appeared moody and depressed. Miss Buchanan says they had never quarreled and that she knew of no reason why the doctor should destroy himself. He was a man of exemplary habits and very popular. He had taken the precaution to lock the door to his office before calling up his fiancee and killing himself, showing that the act was premeditated.

Prayers For Death Answered.

Since February 16, when he made an unsuccessful attempt to end his life by firing a bullet into his breast, Elijah Marlowe, a wealthy farmer of Clarke county, and the owner of a fine estate at Castlemans Ferry, has prayed for death. Tuesday night his prayers were answered, and with his 12 children surrounding his bedside he passed away. In a fit of despondency on February 16 Marlowe shot himself, the bullet passing through his lung an inch above his heart. Despite the severe nature of the wound, he lingered until Tuesday night. Ever since the day of the shooting he had prayed that he might die, declaring that long continued illness had made life unbearable, and that he was a burden to himself and his family, and that he no longer wanted to live. A close watch had been kept on Marlowe by members of his family, who feared that he might again try to kill himself, as he repeatedly threatened.

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29c Colored border, knotted fringe Damask Towels for 23c.
8c Huck and Bath Towels for 4c.
75c All-wool Black Chiffon Nuns Veiling (45 inches) for 49c.
29c White India Silk for 21c.
50c Wash Silks and Fancy Taffetas for 29c
75c to $1 Fancy Silks, also Black Silks, for 49c.
25c White Mercerized Madras for 19c.
18c White Mercerized Madras for 12½c.
18c White Persian Lawns for 12½c.
15c India Linens, 40 inches, for 10c.
39c Swiss Mull, Wash Chiffon, 2-yards wide Organdie, for 25c
75c Val. Laces and Insertings to match, for 50c dozen.
5c Pearl Buttons for 1c dozen.
$1 25 Couch Covers for 75c.
$1 Colored Mercerized Underskirts 50c.
25c Ladies' Muslin Drawers for 15c
39c Ladies' Muslin Skirts for 29c.
75c White Bed Spreads for 59c.
50c Ladies' Dressing Sacques for 25c.
10c Percales, lights and darks, for 6¼c.
25c Bleached and Brown Sheeting for 19c.
9c Bleached Cotton for 6¼c.
7c Apron Ginghams for 5¼c.
8c Dress Ginghams for 5c.
$1 American Lady Corsets for 49c.
6c Bleached Cotton Remnants for 3¼c.
15c Ladies' Black Lisle Hose for 9c.
12½c Odd lot Infants' Hose for 5c.
25c to 39c Ladies' Fancy Hose for 17c.
25c to 50c Odd lot Children's Hose for 12½c.
18c Table Oil Cloths for 12½c.
19c Lot Fine Embroideries for 12½c.
25c Hand Bags for 10c.
12½c Ladies' Lisle Finish Vests for 9c.
50c Infants' Mull Caps for 25c.
19c Ladies' Neckwear for 12½c.
8c White Dimity and Stripe Nainsooks for 5c.
20c Mattings to go for 12½c.
25c Mattings to go for 19c.
10c Fine Brown Cotton, 40 inches, for 7½c.

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In order to make room for an extensive stock of Spring and Summer Woolens we will close out our entire line of FALL AND WINTER STOCK below cost.

Suits that were $25 to $28 now $18. Suits that were $30 to $35 now $20 to $25. Top Coats that were $25 to $28 now $20. Trousers, $5 up. Fancy Vests, $3.75 up.

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SUN DRIED APPLES just received by J. C. MILBURN.

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MEETINGS.

NOTICE.—There will be a meeting of the ADALINDA ZINC COMPANY at the principal office of the company, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., TUESDAY, the 20th day of March, 1906, at 3 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of effecting a sale of the properties of the said company.

CHARLES E. WOOD, President.
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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the WASHINGTON SANITARY IMPROVEMENT COMPANY will be held at the office of James E. Caton, Esq., No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on TUESDAY, April 3, 1906, at 2 p. m.

mar14 td GEO. M. KOBER, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the SHERMAN APARTMENT HOUSE COMPANY will be held at the office of said company, No. 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on MONDAY, March 26, 1906, at 4 o'clock p. m.

mar12 td J. L. McCALLUM, Secretary.

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FRIDAY EVENING, MAR. 16, 1906.

OF ALL the sensations developed before the Armstrong committee, none approached in dramatic force the sudden and unexpected appearance in the New York Assembly chamber yesterday afternoon of "Judge" Andrew Hamilton. Defiant to a point where he even found words of praise for the "yellow dog," accusing under a blanket indictment all the trustees of the New York Life Insurance Company, Hamilton, the former legislative agent, through whose hands over a million and a quarter of insurance money passed, broke from the cover of silence which has enveloped him since the insurance inquiry began. Utterly unexpectedly Hamilton appeared before the Armstrong committee and for twenty minutes defended, defied and arraigned the trustees, in a speech filled with bitter sarcasm and fierce invective. It seemed a tremendous effort of a man pressed to the ditch, to throw from his shoulders the load placed there by others, which included practically every sin in the insurance catagory. He did not tell what he had done with the insurance money, he gave no list of legislators who took the money, although he admitted frankly that it had been taken, nor was his speech in any sense an accounting. He declared that the blame was not his, and he did not hesitate to place it where he thought it belonged—on the trustees of the New York Life whom he termed "curs and cowards," every one of whom, he asserted most positively, knew of his acts, their object and the expense of them. The only one of his recent associates who was spared in the slightest was John A. McCall, to whose death there were several references. In brief he charged that every payment made to him, even from the Paris office and the $59,310 of steel syndicate profits diverted from the company to the legislative agent by J. P. Morgan & Co., was reported to the auditing committee, passed upon and thereby sanctioned by that body. The general impression among the investigating committee is rather an admiration for Hamilton's assurance than belief that he had contributed anything of value to the insurance investigation. They feel that he took this opportunity to create a favorable impression in the eyes of the world and to even up scores with his former associates, but that Hamilton's disclosures must surely result in suits for recovery against other trustees of the New York Life is the common opinion of all but the committee.

A NOTABLE achievement of the late Governor Hogg of Texas was the "Jim Hogg quart." An early struggle of his official career was against short quarts. Bottles holding a pint and a half and called quarts he pronounced swindles, and threatened to prosecute dealers in liquids whose bottles fell below the standard. There were some vigorous protests, then some tearful appeals, but Hogg was firm and contended for the honest quart. The result was that the dealers ordered larger bottles and had blown into them "Jim Hogg quart," and the "Jim Hogg quart" is known all over Texas today. Gov. Swanson cannot hold as much as the late Gov. Hogg, but "there are others," and he might insist on the full quart.

COL. KNIGHT, Maj. Gen. Wood's chief of staff, has returned to Manila from a reconnoissance of the situation in China. He reports that there is absolutely no danger of trouble, and that tranquility prevails. Surely this should convince Mr. Roosevelt that his preparations to invade China with an American army should cease, for the President believes absolutely everything coming from General Wood.

GREAT Scott! the Reed Smoot case is to start again. Attorney Worthington, representing Senator Smoot, furnished Chairman Burrows, of the Senate committee on privileges and elections, yesterday with a list of a dozen or more witnesses who will be subpoenaed to appear before the committee March 26. The Senator has served over half of his term and is still being investigated.

RAILROADS in West Virginia may expect to be forced to pay taxes based upon a fair assessment of the value of their property. With this purpose in view, the republican governor of the State, who has clearly pointed out the exactions of the railroad coal combination, has come to Washington personally to ask assistance from the national government in that direction.

THE type forming the headline, "The Legislature" which has appeared in the Gazette during the past sixty-six days, was today consigned to the "hell box," and there are many uncharitable people who, we realize, will express regret that the legislature has not gone along with the type.

BRILLIANCY in scholarship has been discouraged among the midshipmen at the Naval Academy by reason of a combination to prevent any high standard. And this among men who, in the future, are to command the American ships and meet the navies of the world!

A DELEGATION of cement manufacturers urged upon the President yesterday the exclusive use of American cement in the construction of the Panama canal. These manufacturers seem not satisfied with high tariff on cement!

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, March 16.

Speaker Cannon delivered a little sermon at the White House today on his enemies and their efforts to discredit his record. As he left the White House he was asked if it were true that he was preparing to recede from his previously avowed position on the statehood bill—that of opposition to the Senate and a stand-pat attitude on the House bill. "If my record stands for nothing," he exclaimed with fire in his eye, "if thirty years of conscientious endeavor, of hard work for my constituents, and for the government's interests, do not count for anything and the people do not believe that I am a square man, and will accept the first lying statement that my friend, the enemy, happens to make, then there is no use for me to make any protestations. What's the use of my saying anything, I'd like to know?"

Secretary Taft has declined for the present the proffer of a place on the Supreme Court. The following statement was given out at the White House this morning: "As Mr. Justice Brown will not retire until June, when the Supreme Court will take a vacation until the second Monday in October, and no public inconvenience can arise from a vacancy continuing through the vacation, the President will take further time to decide the question of Mr. Justice Brown's successor. Several names, including that of Secretary Taft, have been under consideration, but no decision has been reached, or is likely to be reached or announced in the near future." Later, when seen at his office, the Secretary said: "The matter has not been finally settled. It has been left just where the President stated, for further consideration. My acceptance or declination of the position has simply been postponed. Further than this I have nothing to say on the subject."

In a bulletin issued today by the Census Office it is shown that the manufacturing industries of Virginia have increased in capital stock from $92,299,589 in 1900 to $147,989,182 in 1905; in the number of wage earners from $66,224 in 1900 to $80,256 in 1905 and in the value of products, 37 per cent.

It was decided by the House leaders today, to let the statehood bill go over until Wednesday because of the absence of many members who cannot reach Washington before that date. The original intention was to bring the matter up on Monday.

Associate Justice Harlan, of the United States Supreme Court, today denied the motion for a writ of error to the Supreme Court of the United States from the Supreme Court of Massachusetts, in the case of Charles L. Tucker. Tucker is under conviction for the murder of Miss Mabel Page, at Weston, Mass., March 31, 1904, and the date of his execution has been set for June. As far as the courts are concerned, that sentence will now be executed.

Rear Admiral C. J. Train, commander of the Asiatic fleet, cables the Navy Department from Cavite under today's date as follows: "In reply to your cablegram of the 15th instant (inquiring regarding naval men wounded in the Dajo fight) only information Ensign Cooke wounded in foot; B. F. Gilmore, coxswain, in elbow; J. Fitz, ordinary seaman, in arm. All can be removed from the hospital at Zamboanga by the 25th instant. They cannot be sent home."

The State Department today received from the Christian Herald, of Brooklyn, for transmission to the starving natives of northern Japan, $50,000, making $80,000 in all that has been subscribed through that journal. Besides this, about $10,000 has been collected in other quarters.

Justice Barnard, of the District Supreme Court, today denied the petition of F. S. Gannon for a writ of mandamus to compel the Georgetown college to reinstate his son, who was recently expelled.

Mr. Rixey has introduced a bill for the relief of Martin Maddox; also a bill for the relief of J. C. Howell, of Thoroughfare, and Burke & Marshall, of Burke.

Mrs. Anne Jackson died this morning in her eighty-sixth year, at the George Washington Hotel, where she has lived for some time. She was born in Clarksburg, Md., June 3, 1821. In early life she married Richard F. Jackson, a prominent citizen of Fairfax county, Va.

Justice Gould this morning, in the Criminal Court, over-ruled the demurrer to the indictment charging Representative Binger Hermann, of Oregon, with destroying 35 press letter copy books of the Land Office while he was acting as Commissioner General of that office. The defence will appeal.

Reports to the effect that Mrs Fitzhugh Lee had applied for a pension from the government are denied here. It is also stated that Mrs. Lee could not receive a pension under the general law, unless it could be shown that General Lee died from illness contracted in line of duty in the war with Spain. It is understood that General Lee left but a small estate, including life insurance of a few thousand dollars. Senator Daniel will introduce a bill providing for a pension for Mrs. Lee. He will take this action after a conference with members of General Lee's family. Senator Martin has assured Senator Daniel he will do all in his power to aid in its passage. The bill will be based on the services of General Lee in the Spanish war.

The steamer Newport News will leave here at 8 o'clock tonight for Newport News, where the new steamer Jamestown will be launched tomorrow. The steamer will carry a number of persons who have received invitations to witness the launching. The party will return Sunday morning.

According to a bulletin issued by the Geological Survey today the production of Pennsylvania anthracite coal in 1905 was the largest on record, amounting to 69,339,152 long tons, valued at $141,879,000. The production in 1904 was 65,318,490 long tons, valued at $138,974,020.

A delegation of eighteen New York Congressmen were heard today by the House committee on naval affairs in favor of having another battleship built at the Brooklyn navy yard. They also asked an appropriation of $250,000 to enable work to to be started on the collier authorized last year.

A revolutionary campaign has been organized in St. Petersburg by the "League of Justice," in various parts of the country against the lives of certain officials and directed likewise against the banks, postoffices and spirit stores.

The movement for reform in the currency which has been so much discussed by the New York Chamber of Commerce recently has resulted in the appointment of a special committee to consider the question.

News of the Day.

Emperor Nicholas has directed Premier Witte to prepare a project providing for the equality of the Jews, to be presented to the National Assembly.

The Senate and House yesterday passed a joint resolution amending the Tillman-Gillespie resolution for investigating railroads and monopolies.

Had the officers of the lost steamer British King not misunderstood the signals from the steamer Mannheim, the captain of the latter says all on board could have been saved.

Secretary Bonapart told the House committee on naval affairs that midshipmen of the Naval Academy have been conspiring to prevent a high standard of scholarship. The object is to keep all the cadets on a level.

The Missouri Supreme Court has not yet set the date for the hearing en banc of the case of Frederick Seymour, "Lord" Barrington, who was to have been hanged yesterday for the murder of James McCann, a horseman.

Representative Small, of North Carolina, yesterday introduced a bill providing that $3,000,000 of the money hereafter arising from the sale of public lands, which would otherwise become a part of the reclamation fund, may be used to construct a comprehensive system of drainage of the Dismal Swamp in Virginia and North Carolina.

The House yesterday passed the resolution granting the Interstate Commerce Commission power to summon witnesses and administer oaths in the investigation of the coal-carrying railroads recently ordered to be made. Mr. Keifer delivered his speech advocating a reduction of the Southern representation in Congress. Speeches were made criticising the recent battle in the Philippines in which women and children were slain.

The next reunion of the United Confederate Veterans will be held April 25 at New Orleans. Circulars issued from the headquarters at Charleston, S. C., of the Northern Virginia Department were received by veterans yesterday. Miss Martha Ayer Aldrich, of Barnwell, S. C., has been appointed sponsor for the Army of the Northern Virginia Department, and Miss Jessie McKay, of Columbia, S. C., maid of honor.

Under the direction of County Prosecutor Ralison, next Tuesday the grand jury of Cincinnati, will begin an investigation of an alleged shortage of $1,106,849.34 in the accounts of County Treasurer Rudolph K. Hynicka. Two experts appointed by Probate Judge Chas. M. Malsbary three weeks ago made a count of the funds in the treasury vaults and reported to Auditor of State Guilbert that the above amount was missing, Treasurer Hynicka having it farmed out to the different banks on interest. Under the law Auditor Guilbert maintains this diversion of the county funds constitutes embezzlement, and he directed the prosecutor to take the matter before the grand jury.

Judge Andrew Hamilton appeared unheralded at Albany, N. Y., yesterday, and went before the Armstrong insurance investigating committee. In the presence of several trustees of the New York Life Insurance Company he denounced the trustees as "cowardly curs" for, as he alleged, attempting to put the responsibility for his vouchers upon the late John A. McCall and himself alleging they hastened John A McCall's death and were themselves responsible for any wrong; if wrong was done. The insurance agent was dramatic in his recital and unsparing in his criticism. He charged that those who have been arranging him knew for years just what he had been doing and approved his vouchers. He urged that they be legislated out of office and was especially bitter toward Hornblower.

Much Ado About Nothing.

Both Enrolling Clerk Judge Gooch and Clerk of the Senate Joseph Button deny that there was anything reprehensible in the transaction in which the latter was the medium in tendering Judge Gooch a check for $25 in connection with the enrollment of a bill in the House.

The bill in question was one of two companion bills which Judge Phleger offered in the Senate in behalf of the Southern and Western Railroad, one of which authorized a quo warranto involving $6,000,000. They had no opposition, but it was highly important to the railroad that the quo warranto bill be gotten through at the earliest moment; but in the course of action on them in the committee rooms they were reversed in order, and the least important of the two bills reached the enrolling clerk first.

Mr. Button, out of accommodation, tried to assist in speeding the quo warranto bill and requested Judge Gooch to enroll it ahead of the other. To this he readily agreed, though it would entail considerable extra work on him. Even the Governor was appealed to to sign the quo warranto bill first, so as to expedite the measure, and he did so.

After the two bills became effective Mr. Button suggested to Mr. A. A. Campbell that Judge Gooch had been put to considerable extra work in copying 40 pages of typewriting, and Mr. Campbell, the attorney for the Southern and Western, drew his personal check in Judge Gooch's favor and asked Mr. Button to hand it to him. This Mr. Button did, but Judge Gooch declared he enrolled the bill out of its order as a personal courtesy to Mr. Button and would accept no compensation.

It is customary to enroll bills out of their order in this way in times of emergency and has been frequently done. Judge Gooch says, he was not offended at the offer and never for a moment believed there was any wrong intent in the matter. He also maintains that the fact that a request was made that George E. Wise, one of the clerks, be allowed to enroll the bill had no significance, and his reason for refusal was that it would not have been a proportionate assignment of work.

As to the House bill No. 12, it is claimed that Mr. Howle, author of the bill, has never claimed that it was tampered with, but the fact that it came out of the committee room emasculated was his only criticism.

The proceedings of the committee were all secret, but, in view of the explanations, it is safe to say the committee will report that the suspicions of tampering with bills were unfounded.

Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer.

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Virginia News.

John H. Ellmore, of Round Hill, died at his home, near the Ketoctin Baptist Church, Wednesday, aged sixty years.

Miss Julia P. Chase, of Winchester, daughter of the late Charles Chase, died at the home of the nephew, G. Clarence Miller, yesterday, aged 65 years. She was a native of Maine.

J. W. Mooney, of Newport News, has entered suit against W. H. L. Kent for $10,000 for the death of Regina Mooney, who died from hydrophobia resulting, it is claimed, from a bite by Kent's dog.

Henry Spivey, a fifty-year old farmer, living near Carrsville, Isle of Wight county, yesterday was accidentally shot and killed by his son, Mills Spivey, aged nineteen, while the latter was cleaning a gun.

Miss Knight, all-night operator at a Roanoke telephone exchange, stood at her post after the room was ablaze to notify the fire department, the managers of the telephone company and the building before deserting her post.

The Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad has reduced its rate for the carrying of coal, so as to meet the reduction offered by the Norfolk and Western, thus making the rates between the two roads equal both in Richmond and to tidewater.

Mr. William T. Edwards, for 86 years connected with the Norfolk Landmark, was found dead in his apartments early yesterday morning. For sometime Mr. Edwards complained of ill health. He was 64 years old, was unmarried and a Confederate veteran.

A pretty wedding was solemnized at the Methodist Episcopal Church at Occoquan last Thursday evening. The contracting parties were Miss Olive May Carter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Carter, and Wilbur Ayres, of Washington. Rev. W. B. Dorsey officiated.

The case of James Franklin, formerly of Bedford City, indicted jointly with Dr. L. R. Chiles in Norfolk for the murder of Miss Sarah Atkinson, whose death followed an alleged operation, has been nolle prossed and Franklin is now a free man. Dr. Chiles was tried and acquitted last month.

An army of ants suddenly invaded the third grade room of the Suffolk High School yesterday, and, after a losing battle against the multitude of insects, during which many stinging bites were inflicted, the teacher and pupils summoned help, dismissed school, and retreated in pain and confusion.

Former Justice of the Peace Orville L. Flemming, of Princess Anne county, convicted of killing young Clarence Snyder, of Norfolk, while the latter was gunning on the Flemming farm, and sentenced to nine years in the penitentiary, has received a conditional pardon and was released from prison yesterday.

The case of the Commonwealth against A. W Harris and Robert Trainer, both colored, charged with the theft of a bale of cotton, has been set for trial in Petersburg April 3 next. Trainer is now in jail, but Harris is out on bail. Harris is a well-known lawyer, and one of the leaders of his race in the State. He formerly lived in Alexandria.

COURT OF APPEALS.

Proceedings of the Court of Appeals yesterday were as follows:

Southern Railway Company vs. Blandford's administratrix; fully argued and submitted.

Westchester Fire Insurance Company of New York vs. Oceanview Pleasure Pier Company et al.; fully argued and submitted.

Mayo, Hynore & Co. vs. Philadelphia Textile Machine Company; partly argued and continued.

Everett Wadey Company et als vs. Richmond Typographical Union No. 90, et als. From chancery court of city of Richmond. Affirmed.

By Judge George M. Harrison:

Pope vs. Prince's administrator, &c. From the Circuit Court of Southampton county. Decree modified and affirmed.

By Judge Stafford G. Whittle:

Newport News and old Point Railway and Electric Company vs. Clark's administrator. From the Circuit Court of Elizabeth county. Reversed.

Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Railway Company vs. Wells. From the Circuit Court of Alexandria county. Writ of error refused.

The Statehood Bill.

As the result of a caucus which lasted for two and a half hours yesterday the republicans of the House voted 126 to 35 to stand by the statehood bill as it passed the House and ask the Senate for a conference on the measure. This vote followed immediately after a resolution offered by Mr. Mondell, of Wyoming, representing the insurgents, had been defeated, 123 to 43, the Mondell resolution being to agree to the Senate amendment eliminating Arizona and New Mexico from the bill and asking for a conference on the minor amendments in the measure.

Mr. Babcock accused the leaders with being eager enough to join with the democrats on the Philippine bill, and were now criticising those who intended joining them on statehood. "You have fooled them by calling it a conference," he continued, "when you knew if you called it a caucus, you could not get a quorum. If the bill goes to conference as suggested, it will die."

That the defeat of the admission of Oklahoma meant the defeat of the republican party in that section of the country was advanced as an argument for the Senate bill by Mr. Murdock, of Kansas.

After the vote had been taken on the two propositions, Mr. Bonynge asked unanimous consent to offer a resolution declaring the conference not binding. Mr. Watson at once objected to this and the session was declared ended.

The insurgents declared they would not be bound by the decision.

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DISASTROUS COLLISION.

Many Persons Killed and Others Burned Alive.

Denver, Colorado, March 16.—What is likely to prove the most disastrous train wreck in the history of the country took place on the Denver & Rio Grande railroad near Portland, Colorado, early this morning. Two passenger trains, loaded with passengers, met on a curve, and at least 150 persons perished. The two trains were running at a high rate of speed and crashed with terrific force. The locomotives, baggage and smoking cars of the two trains, it is reported, overturned, while the rest of the coaches were piled in a confusion. The gas tanks exploded and in a few minutes the entire mass of wreckage with scores of helpless passengers, many of them only held down in the ruins, slowly roasted to death. No one was there to give assistance. All the train men are among the missing. Unofficial reports from the scene say not more than twenty of all those on board escaped. The cause of the accident cannot be told at this hour, but is thought to be due to disobedience of orders.

Immediately after the collision the wreckage took fire and the injured who were pinned down were slowly roasted alive, while the bodies of those to whom death had been more merciful, were cremated beside them. One of the trains was a local passenger made up at Leadville, and the other was the Utah & California express, which left Denver at 8 o'clock last night. The trains were both behind time and met on a curve in a blinding snow storm. The impact caused both engines, a smoker, and a day coach to turn over and both cars took fire. But fifteen of the passengers in the cars were able to escape. The cars are still burning. A snow storm impedes the work of the wreckers. It is reported that the crews of both trains are missing. A doctor who has reached Portland, from the wreck, says forty are dead.

ANOTHER DISPATCH.

Denver, Col., March 16.—From forty to fifty passengers were killed or roasted alive after a collision between 2 passenger trains on the Denver & Rio Grande railroad at 2 o'clock this morning. The trains, one a double header, met on a curve near Florence in the Arkansas valley, 140 miles from Denver. From the details at hand, the wreck near Portland is the worst that has happened in the whole country since the accident at Eden north of Pueblo nearly twenty years ago, when 123 persons were drowned by a passenger train plunging into a flooded stream, the bridge over which had been weakened by the floods.

The wreck occurred at Abode station, four miles east of Florence, during a terrific blizzard and was due, it is claimed, to miscarriage of orders, either by the dispatches at Salida or those at Pueblo. The trains were running at a rapid speed. Engineer William Hollis, of No. 16, and Engineer William Consullette of No. 3, are among the dead. The firemen on No. 16, also was killed, but Firemen J. H. Smith, of No. 3, escaped by jumping, being badly hurt. Express Messenger McCartland, of Denver, on No. 16, was badly injured. He was caught under the wreckage and burned to death while people stood helplessly by. Some tried to stop the flames by throwing snow on the poor man, but he finally succumbed. The majority of the dead were passengers in the forward coach of No. 3. How many met their fate will never be known. The car, together with ten others, was entirely consumed by fire, which started within two minutes after the engines came together.

The scenes at the wreck, after the cars began to burn, were too horrible almost to describe. One man, badly hurt, was pinned under a iron rod. He begged the other passengers to release him. They worked until the flames reached the spot, when the man said: "I am too badly hurt to want to live; save yourselves and let me die."

A man and wife were trying to get out of one of the car windows, when an iron rod caught them. They were burned alive together with their little child which was near them. Another man begged to be taken from the wreckage. When the rescuers took hold of his hands all the flesh came from the bones. He was burned to death a moment later.

It is now estimated that forty persons met death in the wreck.

The Miners.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 16.—The policy which the leaders of the United Mine Workers of America are pursuing is gradually becoming apparent. Indications at the second day's session of the convention tended to warrant the prediction that before any actual consideration of a strike is taken up, all jarring elements in the organization will be sidetracked. Although it is entirely extraneous to the main issue, the question of an appropriation to the Western Federation of Miners to aid in fighting the case of the miners under arrest in the Gov. Steunenberg murder case in Idaho may figure considerably. A contingent in the organization has been for years favorable to the Western miners, and it is now stated by Western delegates here that a fight will be made for an appropriation. If this is done, some action by the convention may be necessary to keep the Western men in line. The action of the national executive board last night in supporting President Mitchell's ousting of Patrick Dolan from the presidency of the Western Pennsylvania bituminous district is another indication that peace prevails in the board. Dolan and Uriah Billingham president of the district this morning took their seats and will act as delegates until the credentials committee decides either for or against them. As President Mitchell and W. D. Ryan, the author of the Ryan resolution, have practically agreed to favor an appeal of the measure, and Vice President Lewis will give his support, it seems pretty certain that action in what Dolan supporters can heartily join will be taken at once.

Another Clash.

Paris, March 16.—A clash occurred today at Lonzolen, Brittany, between government authorities who tried to take an inventory of church property there and Catholics who defended the church. The defenders of the church showered the soldiers who were called out to assist in taking the inventory with corrosive sublimate and defended themselves with miscellaneous weapons. As a result of the opposition offered to the authorities the vicar of the church was arrested and imprisoned.

Well Worth Trying.

W. H. Brown, the popular pension attorney, of Pittsfield, Vt., says: "Next to a pension, the best thing to get is Dr. King's New Life Pills." He writes: "They keep my family in splendid health." Quick cure for Headache, Constipation and Biliousness 25c. Guaranteed at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons drug store.

Steamer Ashore.

New York, March 16.—The steamer Carthagena, believed to be bound for this port, from Duluth, Minn., went ashore last night at Seaside Park, N. J. A blinding snow storm prevailed at the time, and it is thought that the captain lost his bearings, but the crew declined to leave their ship, as assistance has been telegraphed for and they think the Carthagena will be floated at the next high tide. The Carthagena is in no immediate danger, though the seas are high. Captain Mason told the life savers that he had a number of passengers on board and that all preferred remaining on board to risking to slide to the shore in the breeches buoy. Captain Mason also said that thus far the vessel was not leaking. It was said that in running aground the shaft of the vessel had become broken or so wedged in the sand that it is useless. The wrecking tug Merritt has been sent from this city to the stranded vessel.

ANOTHER DISPATCH.

Atlantic City, N. J., March 16—The British steamer Cearens, bound from Para, Brazil, for New York, ran ashore early this morning on the New Jersey coast between Island Beach and Toms river. A blinding snow storm prevailed at the time. She had a number of passengers on board, but when life savers went alongside the vessel Captain Mason told them that all had decidod to remain on board as there was no immediate danger. The Cearens is one of the fleet of the Both Company line, sailed from Para on March 3. She is a vessel of 1570 tons net register.

Fatalities in Boston.

Boston, March 16.—Three lives were lost in Boston and this part of New England yesterday in the worst March blizzard for 13 years. John Gordon, of South Boston, was killed at the Southampton street bridge by a train. Louis John was killed at Beverly by a train while dazed by driving snow. Joseph H. Westcott dropped dead at Portland, Me., from heart disease, after half a mile walk in the storm. Miss Annie M. Dower was struck at North Cohasset by a train which the clouds of snow shut from her sight, but she was not fatally hurt. Beginning with a light flurry at 9:15 yesterday morning, the storm continued through the night, impeding street traffic, rail and electric service, driving people within doors, and making a storm record for March 15 not equalled since the big snow of the same date in 1893, when eight inches precipitation was recorded at the Weather Bureau. Over six inches of snow fell yesterday and the storm was attended by a wind raging from 12 to 20 miles an hour. Only a small portion of the coastwise fleet was caught outside the harbor and most of them were able to reach anchorage before dark.

Old Curiosity Shop.

New York, March 16.—Just forty-five years after closing his general store in the village of Cross River, Westchester county, George R. Avery has had the dust of 1861 brushed off his old stock of goods and is selling it at auction. Avery closed the store when his wife died, and vowed he would never sell another article over the counter. He refused to repair his house, and it is rapidly falling to pieces. Beginning yesterday, the sale brought hundreds of persons from surrounding towns. Other stores closed, and Cross River made a general holiday of the occasion. The wares disposed of comprised a wonderfully varied list of things in common use half a century ago. There were beaver hats, hoopskirts, paper neckties and weirdly colored stockings. It was like the opening of grandma's old trunk in a dusty attic. There were flintlock guns, too, and some ancient swords and a sleigh that was used in 1790. There were plugs of tobacco and a few old chromos. Prices for the articles ranged from 1 cent to $5, which was paid for the sleigh.

Suit Stirs Reading Society.

Reading, Pa., March 16. — Local business and social circles were treated to a sensation that set tongues wagging today, when Kate L. Boas, wife of former Select Councilman Howard L. Boas, instituted a damage suit against Mrs. Laura Fair Steininger. Although no statement has been filed in the case, counsel for Mrs Boas said that the intimation that the public's conclusion, of alienation of affections, was not wrong. Mr. Boas was formerly secretary of the Montelio Brick Company and lived with his wife up to a few months ago in the splendid mansion on north Fifth street. Mrs. Boas has since been living with her father, Matthan Harbster, president of the Reading Hardware Company, in his Centre avenue mansion. Mrs. Steininger, who is a handsome brunette, about 30 years old, is the divorced wife of Harry Steininger. The Steiningers have one child, a son, who lives with the mother.

The Duke Divorce Case.

New York March 16.—The trial of the suit brought by Brodie L. Duke, the millionaire tobacco man, for an absolute divorce from his wife, Alice Webb Duke, which was set for today before Judge Blanchard in the Supreme Court, was, at the request of defendants counsel, adjourned until next Tuesday. The postponement of the trial was granted on the statement that an important witness for the defense is mysteriously missing, and that another witness, a college professor, is ill with pneumonia. They are both Chicago physicians and the professor is said to be a member of the faculty of the Chicago University. The missing doctis said to have left Chicago last Sunday night for this city, and has not been heard from since.

Death of an Editor.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., March 16.—Eugene R. White, part owner and managing editor of the Niagara Falls Gazette, died at the Sisters Hospital, in Buffalo, this morning after an operation for appendicitis, performed a week ago. Mr. White, who was 34 years old, was born in Buffalo. He was a brilliant writer, having published several volumes of verse, the most noted of which was his "Songs of Good Fighting," and many short stories of merit.

It seems the only rational remedy for Coughs and Colds would be to move the bowels and cure the mucous membrances of the throat and lungs at the same time. Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar does this. It is the Original Laxative Cough Syrup, the best known remedy for Coughs, Colds, Croup, Whooping Cough, etc. Tastes good and harmless. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

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The Market

Georgetown, March. 16.—Wheat 69a73.

Identifying Murdered Man.

New York, March 16.—Detectives Turturle and Adkey, of the Newark police force, came to New York today to consult with Detective Petrosino and other Italian members of the local detective bureau in the attempt to solve the mystery of the death of the man found two days ago in the Morris canal with his throat cut. There are strong indications that the man lost his life as the result of a Black Hand plot, and the police are about convinced that the dead man was the chief kidnapper of Antonio Bozzuffi, the young son of banker John Bozzuffi. The police believe the man was killed because he allowed young Bozzuffi to escape. The identification by Antonio Bozzuffi of the dead man as his keeper while the boy was detained in an east Fifty-ninth street house, was not positive, but the police believe there is no doubt that he was the man. A French woman today gave a description of the man who bought food at her bakery adjoining the house where young Bozzuffi was held prisoner, which tallies exactly with that of the man found in the canal. The similarity between the manner in which the dead man's throat was gashed, and the wounds inflicted upon other victims of supposed Black Hand outrages, have led the police to believe that all the crimes have been committed by the same band and they are working on that theory.

Arraignment of Insurance Trustees.

Albany, N. Y., March 16.—The calm after the storm possessed the State Capitol today. All discussion centred around Andrew Hamilton's vitrolic arraignment of the trustees of the New York Life Insurance Company. There is no disguising the fact that Hamilton made an impression with the committee, but the suggestion that it will reconvene and put him on the stand, is not entertained.

New York, March 16.—Alexander E. Orr, president of the New York Life, said today that the officers and trustees of the company as a body would make no statement regarding the accusations made by "Judge" Andrew Hamilton. President Orr further declined to give the names of the auditing committee which passed upon the vouchers of "Judge" Hamilton. A rumor was current in Wall street, this afternoon, that the officers of the Mutual Reserve Life had resigned in a body, but this was officially denied.

Masonic.

Harrisburg, Pa., March 16.—Masons from all over the State, as well as from different sections of the United States and Canada, are in the city attending the ceremonial session being held by Zembo Temple, Ancient Order Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, of Harrisburg. At 2 o'clock this afternoon the ceremonial session opened in Chestnut street hall, and the afternoon was devoted to the initiation of forty candidates. The exercises of the day will close with a dance and banquet at the City Grays Armory this evening. There will be a reception to Governor Pennypacker, Imperial Potentate Henry A. Collins, Toronto; Admiral Schley, of Almas Temple, Washington, D. C.; Past Imperial Potentate Harrison W. Dingman, of Almas Temple, Washington, D. C.; Past Imperial Potentate Wm. Gude, of Almas Temple, Washington, D. C.; also to the visiting potentates Noble Edwin B. Hay, of Almas Temple, Washington, D. C., and officers of Zembo Temple.

Withdrew Death Warrant.

Harrisburg, Pa., March 16.—Governor Pennypacker today withdrew the death warrant for the execution of Frank Johnson, in Lawrence county. Johnson's attorneys will again ask the Board of Pardons to commute his sentence to imprisonment for life. This will be the second application in his behalf, the board already having refused to commute his sentence.

Four Persons Burned to Death.

Tustin, Mich., March 16.—Four persons were burned to death in an early morning fire here which wiped out the business section of the town, inflicting property loss of about $30,000. The fire broke out from the furnace in the basement of the hotel Campton. The guests escaped in their night clothes.

New York Stock Market.

New York, March 16.—The stock market during the first hour showed moderate improvement and gains were made in many stocks traded in. London bought about 5,000 shares so far.

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FRIDAY EVENING, MAR. 16, 1906.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 6:09 a. m. and sets at 6:09 p. m. High water at 12:19 a. m. and 1:00 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair tonight and Saturday, somewhat warmer Saturday; light to fresh westerly winds.

Address by Alexandria Woman.

Mrs. Kate Walker Barrett, of Alexandria, superintendent of the National Florence Crittendon Mission, delivered an address at the Torrey-Alexander mission in Philadelphia last Tuesday afternoon. When she had ended her talk every one in the big place gasped with amazement that a woman could do what she had done—combine in such perfect degree beauty, refinement, force, eloquence and truth.

The ministers on the platform crowded about her, and more than one of them thanked her for a new view of certain Biblical passages, and the people in the audience sifted slowly away, for they, too, would liked to have grasped her hand and tell her what her talk had meant to them.

Mrs. Barrett, widow of a leading Episcopal clergyman of the South, is a flower of that Southern aristocracy which flourished "befo' de wah," only there is something in her face that bespeaks no special time or place—a great love for all humanity, especially the fallen and disgraced.

And as she told with genuine eloquence of her work among unfortunate women and girls, and later dwelt upon the importance of Christians putting out their hands to help those close at hand, though lower down in the estimation of men, her hearers couldn't help shedding tears. It was all so convincting, so stinging, perhaps, but so true to the teaching of Christ.

She told how she had come to a realization of the power of the Holy Spirit through meeting an exemplary man who, she later found out, had been at one time a thief, and how, from that time, she felt that formal religion was not enough, though it had, in a great measure, sufficed her before.

"Oh, we must reach out to those who stand in need, and yet are lured on by sin, sometimes because sin and its emissaries are the[illegible]

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War on Houseboats.

A large delegation in the interest of restricting the liquor traffic in the vicinity of Fort Washington, Piscataway district, Prince George's county, Md., visited Annapolis a few days ago. Among the delegation was Capt. Rister W. Springer, chaplain, Artillery Corps, U. S. A., stationed at Fort Washington, who presented a number of petitions signed by officers and non-commissioned officers in the military service at the post in favor of the legislation requested. These petitions ask that "houseboat" dives be prohibited. It is stated that "Fort Washington is surrounded on three sides by water; and on all sides efforts are made by lawless parties to debauch the soldiers and profit themselves financially by means of low dives built on flat boats. The post commander has, at times, been compelled to place extra guards to keep soldiers from going to these places. The State of Maryland owns the Potomac river to low-water mark on the Virginia side. Just below Alexandria there was a houseboat of unusually infamous reputation, which was driven out of Virginia waters and out of the waters of the District of Columbia. Very recently this boat has moved down into our neighborhood." The petition also asks that a three-mile limit from Fort Washington be established.

Baseball.

The baseball team of the Episcopal High School has so far arranged twelve games for the season. All the games will be played on the school grounds, except one game with Woodberry Forest, and one with Jacob Tome Institute. The schedule follows:

March 24—Bliss Electrical School.
March 31—Rock Hill.
April 7—Locust Dale.
April 11—Fredericksburg College.
April 18—Miller School.
April 21—Western High School.
April 28—Woodberry Forest (at Woodberry)
May 2 or 9—Central High School.
May 12—Baltimore City College.
May 19—Technical High School.
May 23—Georgetown Prep.
May 26—Jacob Tome Institute (at Jacob Tome).

Lodgers at the Station House.

Twelve homeless persons applied at the station house last night for shelter from the elements, among them a white man who said he was 70 years of age. From his appearance he has long been a straggler in the march of life. He was hatless, but little more than the uppers of his shoes remained and his pantaloons were completely worn out. He told Officer Sherwood that he was one of the many victims of dipsomania, although he had not given way to his appetite for over a year. Nevertheless his condition, he said, was due to his appetite. Mr. Sherwood, before the stranger was turned out into the snow this morning, provided him with trousers, shoes, a hat and a substantial breakfast. He may have cast bread upon the waters to find it after many days.

A special vesper service will be held next Sunday evening at 4 o'clock at St. Mary's Catholic Chuch, under the auspices of the Ancient Order of Hibernians. A sermon appropriate to the occasion will be delivered by Rev. Father P. J. Kavanaugh, of Boston. The male choir will be under the direction of Prof. George H. Wells, of Washington, and will be augmented by several members of the choir of Trinity Church, Washington.

Personal.

Rev. Dr. A. S. Lloyd is the guest of Rev. Dr. S. A. Wallis, on Seminary Hill. Last night he addressed the students of the Theological Seminary and tonight will speak before the boys of the Episcopal High School.

State Senator Machen has returned from his legislative duties at Richmond, and is receiving the congratulations of his many friends.

Mr. J. Bred Birrell, one of the clerks of the House of Delegates, has returned from Richmond.

Mr. John Lichford, of Alexandria, is in the city on a visit to Mr. S. L. Kirby, of Dearington.—[Lynchburg News.

Mrs. Belle Almond, of Lynchburg, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Dr. Fisher, at No. 110 south Columbus street.

New Line for Southern.

It is understood that the Southern Railway, which has for sometime been surveying for a new line through Lynchburg, in order that the heavy freight trains and a few fast passenger trains may not have to pass through the center of the business section, has decided upon a route which begins at Winesap, four miles north of Lynchburg, crosses James river near the Woman's College, traverses the suburb of Rivermont, crosses the Norfolk and Western main line at the Altter's tunnel and parallels the Lynchburg and Durham division to a point two miles west of the Union depot, where it rejoins the main line.

The Westher.

The rainy and gloomy weather of the past few days has disappeared and given place to a clear sky and mild sunshine. Threatening conditions prevailed during the early part of last night and before ten o'clock snow was flying. There was a cessation at 2 o'clock, but other flurries came along about 4 o'clock, after which the wind changed to the northwest and clearing conditions followed. When old Sol appeared above the Maryland hills this morning his face was unclouded and he was hailed with delight after his long obscuration. This evening the skies became overcast again.

Corporation Court.

[Judge L. C. Barley presiding.]

Hugh J. Phillips vs. the Jackson-Phillips Brick Co., judgment for plaintiff for $631.42; decree directing sheriff of Alexandria county to sell 800,000 bricks attached in this cause.

Martha W. Smith vs. W. R. Smith et al.; decree for sale.

J. H. Dabney vs. W. C. Arnold; decree referring cause to D. D. Brumback, special commissioner, for report.

The New Wharf.

The Mutual Ice Company will shortly construct a plank walk from Cameron street to the end of their new pier. As has been stated, Mr. Wm. M. Reardon, agent for the Baltimore and river steamers, has removed to the new pier, where commodious warehouses and a fine office building have been constructed.

Missing Woman.

The police have been requested to ascertain the whereabouts of a colored woman named Mandy Moore, who has been missing from her home on upper King street for several days. She has three children, two of whom are in charge of one woman and one is in the house of another.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Tomorrow will be St. Patricks' Day.

The ground hog's six weeks expires today.

There were no cases for trial in the Police Court this morning.

A marriage license was issued in Washington yesterday to Marshall Taylor and Grace Lacey, both of Brick Haven.

Work on the McKinley Industrial School, to be erected at the corner of Patrick and Montgomery streets, will be commenced on Monday.

Prof. Leo Wheat, well-known in this city and elsewhere as a musician of more than ordinary talent, was yesterday in Washington committed to St. Elizabeth's Asylum at his own request.

The Laurena E. Bramel, Captain James Elliott, with salt to Charles King & Son, has arrived at the Mutual Ice Company's wharf. The Bramel, as soon as she discharges her cargo, will return to Norfolk for another load.

A pile-driving machine has been put to work driving a row of piling on the flats west of the channel abreast of the point above the United States naval magazine, at which the big sewer from Washington will have its outlet. The dredging machine that is to do the digging for the sewer outlet is now here being overhauled.

A shad was caught in the net fished by John Hate, at White House on Wednesday. This is the first shad of the season to be caught in one of the upper river nets. It was a fine large fish, in good condition. The catching of the shad this high up the river, the old fishermen say, can be taken as an indicotion that the fishing season will open earlier than usual.

The sewer which drains the Douglass cemetery, over which the Southern Railway tracks extend, collapsed last night, and for a time the tracks leading into the yard could not be used.

The Robert Portner Brewing Co. has rented property in Hagerstown and will establish there a bottling and wholesale house.

John H. Magruder, colored, who had recently been seriously ill, is out again. He desires to express his appreciation of the many kindly acts on the port of his employers during his confinement to his home, as well as to numerous other friends who manifested interest in him while he was indisposed.

Fried Clams 30 cents a dozen. Oysters fried, stewed or raw. Clam Soup 5c, Vegetable Soup 5c. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space. feb26tf

If you have used Witch Hazel Salve without being relieved it is probable that you got hold of one of the many worthless counterfeits that are sold on the reputation of the genuine DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve.

NOTICE.

TOMORROW (Saturday), March 17, there will be an expert cutter from one of the best merchant tailors in this country at the store of BERNHEIMER & CO. with a full line of samples for ready-to-measure Pants, Suits and Overcoats. mar15 2t

Oyster Butter, 1 lb prints, 30c lb;

Good Butter, 25c; Fresh Eggs, 18c doz; 4 lbs Prunes, 25c; 4 lbs Apples, 25c; 4 cans Corn, 25c; 4 cans Peas, 25c; 8 lbs Buckwheat, 25c; Codfish, 5c lb; 2 cans Peaches, 25c; large can Asparagus, 25c.

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Fifty-ninth Congress.

Washington, March 16.

SENATE.

The Senate was not in session today, having adjourned yesterday till Monday.

HOUSE.

The death of a goat on a range near Durango, Colorado, and the discovery through a post-mortem that death resulted from the eating of a weed that was changed into rubber in the goat's stomach, played havoc with today's initial proceedings of the House.

Mr. Brooks, republican, of Colorado, asked unanimous consent for the consideration of a bill giving a rubber company, organized by the owner of the goat, a ten years' right to experiment with the rubber weed on 5,000 acres of public lands surrounding Durango.

Mr. Shakelford, under the general impression that he was to explain the bill, secured the floor. He launched into an attack on Speaker Cannon, characterizing him as a "despot," who "cracks the whip while members cower at his feet."

Mr. Tawney, republican, Minnesota, immediately objected to Mr. Shakelford's continuance and, to prevent further discussion, refused unanimous consent for the consideration of the bill.

In committee of the whole, the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill was then again taken up and General Keifer, republican, Ohio, concluded his speech of yesterday in favor of a reduction of southern Congressional representation owing to the disfranchisement of the negro.

Wilmington Conference.

The second session of the Wilmington Methodist Episcopal Conference convened in Salem Church at Pocomoke, Md., yesterday morning, Bishop McCabe in the chair.

Among the transfers made were G. M. Stallings and E. H. Marshall, pastors of the church at Phoebus and Claremont, Va., respectively. They were transferred with their charges from the Alexandria district of the Virginia Conference to the Salisbury district of the Wilmington Conference, thus adding two new charges to this conference in Presiding Elder Stengles' district.

Dr. A. W. Lightbourne during the session introduced the following resolution:

Whereas, The present time has developed what seems to us grave departures from our doctrinal standards on the part of some of the professors in our theological schools, and as these schools have been under their influence, many young men who are preparing for our ministry, and as our Discipline prescribes that all such candidates shall be directly examined by the conference as to their personal attitude toward our doctrines and Discipline,

Be it Resolved, That we, in order to preserve our church from unscriptural and destructive doctrines, do hereby call the attention of our committee on ministerial qualifications to this provision of the Discipline and instruct them to carefully examine every candidate for admission to our body on the fundamental doctrines of christianity as taught by our church, and to report upon the doctrinal attitude of each said candidate in open conference prior to the vote upon his admission.

The resolution was adopted.

Smyrna, Del., was selected as the place for the next meeting.

Fire at Bristol.

Bristol was visited by a fire early yesterday morning, entailing a total loss of about $80,000, with less than $27,000 insurance. The plant of the J. Wilkinson Lumber Company was totally destroyed, together with a large quantity of lumber, manufactured articles, machinery, &c. This company's loss is $65,000, with only $12,000 insurance. Adams Bros. & Co., dealers in building material, lost a portion of one of their buildings and a large quantity of material. Their loss is about $12,000, and is covered by insurance. Nine freight cars, a part of them loaded with finished material from the Wilkinson plant, were included in the loss. The volunteer firemen were powerless to fight the flames. The fire originated in the boiler-room of the Wilkinson plant. Mr. Wilkinson, the principal owner of the Wilkinson plant, is in Europe.

Support Withdrawn.

Albany, March 16.—Fifteen religious denominations have withdrawn their support from the Cassidy-Lansing bill which prohibits betting and horse racing. They say the bill is in the interest of the pool rooms, which is a greater evil than race track betting.

Schwab's Resort in Ruins.

Richmond Beach, the finest summer resort on Staten Island, which was made more beautiful by a $1,000,000 expenditure of Chas. M. Schwab, who announced that he would turn it over to charity, is a ruin today. It is said it has been dropped by the former steel trust head through a quarrel he had with a charitable society, to which the place was to have been presented, and the elements have worked their own havoc. The magnificent two-mile stretch of beach has become spoiled through neglect and refuse lines its shores; the pretty lawns and flower beds can hardly be distinguished, so over-run are they with weeds, and the big buildings, erected for the accommodation of 2,000 children, are rapidly becoming ruins. Mr. Schwab has erected around the entire area of the resort a high steel picket fence. A lone watchman prevents anyone entering the grounds.

Lightship in Trouble.

Newport, R. I., March 16.—With her boiler tubes in trouble, her wireless topmast in a bad condition and one of her crew insane, life on board lightship No. 66, on Nantucket South Shoal, has not been particularly pleasant since she relieved No. 71 a week ago. The next day the southern storm carried away the wireless topmast of the ship, and on Sunday it was discovered that several of her boiler tubes were leaking, but her engine room was able to keep up steam. Yesterday the strain of constant tossing proved too much for John Santos, one of the crew, and he became insane. The light house tender Azalea is expected at the station with stores and will probably take off the afflicted man.

"To Cure a Felon."

says Sam. Kendall, of Phillipsburg, Kan., "just cover it over with Bucklen's Arnica Salve and the Salve will do the rest." Quickest cure for Burns, Boils, Sores, Scalds, Wounds, Piles, Eczema, Salt Rheum, Chapped Hans, Sore Feet and Sore Eyes. Only 25c at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store. Guaranteed.

Champion Liniment for Rheumatism

Chas. Drake, a mail carrier at Chapinville, Conn., says: "Chamberlain's Pain Balm is the champion of all liniments. The past year I was troubled a great deal with rheumatism in my shoulder. After trying several cures the storekeeper here recommended this remedy and it completely cured me." There is no use of anyone suffering from that painful ailment when this liniment can be obtained for a small sum. One application gives prompt relief and its continued use for a short time will produce a permanent cure. For sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

The Adjournment.

The legislature of 1906 is now but a memory. It dissolved into an empty nothingness some time about 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, after a joint committee had called on Governor Swanson and notified him that the General Assembly had completed its labors, unless he had some further communication to make. This committee consisted of Senators Herman, Garrett, Machen, Mann and Anderson, and Delegate Lee, Gaines, Pulliam, Howle and Gill.

Senator Harman acted as spokesman, and made a formal speech conveying the message of the legislature, after which the executive answered in the same manner. Then everybody relaxed.

After the message of the executive had been returned to the House all hands present prepared to "dissolve." Thus ended the session.

When the House was called to order yesterday a joint resolution was offered by Mr. Churchman, calling upon the committee which investigated the alleged tampering with bills to supply the clerks of the House and Senate each with a copy of the evidence and findings, to be entered in the records of the General Assembly. The resolution was adopted. It is safe to predict that the report will pronounce the stories of attempted bribery and improper precedure unfounded.

Says She Was Forced to Elope.

A woman giving her name as Mrs. Nora Smith, nee Connor, of Eighteenth and Moore streets, Philadelphia, appealed to Police Lieut. Morhiser, of the Southern station, Baltimore, yesterday afternoon, to arrange for her transportation back to Philadelphia. She stated, between sobs, that she had been forced at the point of a pistol to run away with a married man to Baltimore last Monday, and that he had deserted her and left her without any money or means to return home. The woman said that she had known the man ever since she was sixteen years of age. He left Philadelphia, she said, and went to Baltimore to work for the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad. She had since married and is the mother of two children. Mrs. Smith said that the man called at her home Monday and suggested that she come to Baltimore with him. She replied that she was married and had two children to look out for, and, also, that she thought he was married. Later, she says, he forced her to accompany him through threats of shooting her. She was instructed to make her appeal to the mayor.

The Negro Spriggs.

The grand jury heard more evidence in New York Tuesday against Robert H. Spriggs and Sallie Bennett, keepers of negro dens in which white women have been kept prisoners. One of the witnesses was said to be Theresa Austin, a white woman rescued from one of the dens, who gave information about two white women who had been kept prisoners with her and had died after being beaten for attempting to escape. The bodies of two women, it is said, were buried in a negro cemetery by a negro undertaker on death certificates issued by a negro doctor. Testimony was given to the grand jury Tuesday, it is supposed, to show that both Spriggs and the Bennett woman had served terms of imprisonment for stabbing persons. Such information has been in the District Attorney's possession. In the case of the Bennett woman it was ascertained that she served a term for stabbing another woman, named Hamilton, in a den in Bleecker street, in 1888, about the time Spriggs regained liberty after serving a term in Sing Sing. District Attorney Garvan has been informed that Spriggs was restored to citizenship by a pardon from Governor Rosseve't.

Love Caused Her to Drink

Despite her pitiful appeal to Magistrate Barlow and to her husband, Joseph V. Patterson, of Philadelphia, in open court in New York Monday afternoon, Mrs. Virginia Knox Patterson, formerly the Countess Carrusi, was recommitted to Bellevue Hospital, to be kept under observation that her mental condition may be determined. "Judge, I want to make an appeal to you and to my husband," said the woman when brought into court. "My husband has been ill. It is true that I did drink, but it was anxiety over his condition that made me do it, and I will do so no more. I am not insane."

Then, with tears almost choking her, she held out her arms to her husband.

"Joe, you don't want me to go back to Bellevue, do you?" she pleaded.

"Yes, it is best for you," he replied.

"Oh, please don't send me back. I will even sign a pledge it you will not do so."

"I think you had better be sent back for the present," interrupted the magistrate kindly. She was led away weeping.

The possibility that some New York Life Insurance official would attempt a reply to the sensational speech of Andrew Hamilton yesterday, filled the New York Assembly chamber with a curious crowd today. Judge Hamilton did not appear again and none of the former friends whom he denounced made any attempt to disprove his dramatic denunciation.

Frank Mathewson while experimenting with hard coal at the Dupont Powder Company's laboratory near Wilmington, Del., this morning was severely burned by an explosion. He will recover.

Wholesale Prices of Produce.

Flour Extra	4 00	a	4 20
Family	4 25	a	4 51
Fancy brands	4 75	a	5 00
Wheat, longberry	0 81	a	0 83
Mixed	0 80	a	0 82
Fults	0 80	a	0 82
Damp and tough	0 55	a	0 65
Corn, white	0 51	a	0 53
Mixed	0 50	a	0 52
Yellow	0 50	a	0 51
Corn Meal	0 60	a	0 62
Rye	0 50	a	0 50
Oats, mixed, new	0 30	a	0 40
White, new	0 30	a	0 40
Elgin Print Butter	0 32	a	0 34
Butter, Virginia, packed	0 18	a	0 20
Choice Virginia	0 22	a	0 25
Common to middling	0 14	a	0 16
Eggs	0 14	a	0 14½
Live Chickens (hens)	0 12	a	0 13
Potatoes, per bu	0 70	a	0 75
Sweet Potatoes	1 75	a	2 25
Yams	1 25	a	1 50
Onions, per bushel	1 00	a	1 10
Dried Cherries	0 12	a	0 14
Dried Apples	0 04	a	0 04½
Apples, per bbl	2 50	a	4 50
Dried Peaches, peeled	0 10½	a	0 14
Pork, per 100 lbs	7 50	a	8 00
Bacon, country hams	0 12	a	0 12½
Best sugar-cured hams	0 12	a	0 12½
Butchers' hams	0 12	a	0 12
Breakfast Bacon	0 12	a	0 12½
Sugar-cured shoulders	0 09	a	0 09½
Bulk shoulders	0 09	a	0 09½

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Alexandria Gazette.

FRIDAY EVENING, MAR. 16, 1906

Insensible to Pain.

A mother's love for her children is always being illustrated, not only in books, but in real life. A true story is told of a lady whose baby was very ill and who sat watching the child with absorbed attention, every instant fearing another convulsion and praying for deliverance from it. At her side stood an older child, who had stolen into the room unobserved and who was trying to prick the little black spots in mamma's muslin sleeve with a needle he had found. Presently the father came in, and the little child was seen and sent away.

"What is the matter with your arm?" whispered the gentleman to his wife when at last they turned to each other and smiled their thankfulness that the baby had fallen asleep.

"I don't know," said she. "Nothing that I am aware of."

She put up her hand and found that the thin muslin sleeve was soaked with blood. The little boy had become so absorbed in his sport that he had jabbed with all his might, and she in her terrible anxiety had not felt the thrusts.

Cleaning Men's Clothes.

A tailor of fifty years' experience gives the following information:

All men's clothing to be cleaned should be thoroughly beaten and brushed. Some things are so dirty it is absolutely necessary to wash them as any other woolen goods. Iron on the wrong side. To remove spots, use the following:

Two ounces of hartshorn, an ounce of castile soap, a quarter of an ounce of saltpeter. Dissolve in a quart of rain water.

He has used many cleaning mixtures, but considers this the best. Put a wad of soft cloth (like an old towel) under the spot, saturate well and rub hard. The secret of success lies in hard rubbing, which will drive the grease through into the wad of cloth. Rub dark goods with dark woolen and light goods with light. Press on right side with damp cloth between iron and garment.—Buffalo News.

Indian Summer.

Indian summer is the short spell of warm days in October or November accentuated by the first chill of autumn which has preceded it. Sometimes it lasts as long as a fortnight, and it has been observed to recur twice or thrice in a season, though this is quite rare. An atmospheric phenomenon of the same nature has received the name of "St. Luke's summer" in Germany, "St. Martin's summer" in England, the feasts of these saints being Oct. 18 and Nov. 11 respectively. The name Indian summer is of an unidentified origin. It has been established that it does not appear on any record earlier than 1794, but when first recorded it was as a term in general use. The use of the expression in 1778 by Horace Walpole clearly referred to the torrid summer of the West Indies and not to this pleasant period of the northern autumn.

The Satan of the Greeks.

The Greek conception of the evil one, whom they call Yama, makes that personage one of the most satanic of the whole evil tribe. According to their ideas of him, he is 240 miles high and the hairs on his body stand out like palm trees on a mountain side. He punishes the doomed being submitted to his charge by putting them in beds of boiling oil, sawing their bodies in two, pouring molten lead in their ears and such other little pranks as pulling out their tongues, toe and finger nails and gouging out their eyes. He is a heartless old fiend of the most fiendish kind and has many other exquisite little tortures laid up for the helpless wretch consigned to his "chamber of horrors."

The Cent Is Not Small.

With the exception of the English penny, the cent is the largest minimum unit of money in the civilized world. Roughly speaking, our cent is worth 2 kopecks, 2 cents Mexican, Chinese and East Indian, 2 atts or milliemes. It is two and a half times larger than the cent of the Netherlands or the kreutzer. There are 4 pies, ore, or pfennige to the cent or 5 bani, centesimi, lepta, heller, pennia, centimes or stotinki. A cent is worth 10 paras Turkish or 10 Japanese rin, 11 cash Chinese or 50 paras Servian. What the trolley car conductors of Servia say when tendered a five cent fare in paras would probably not be fit to print.

Madison's Mint Julep Bet.

Among the trees at the edge of the lawn on the right hand side of the house as you face the mountains James Madison built an icehouse. This was in 1809, and it was the first icehouse in Orange county, Va. Ice in summer! His servants were incredulous. And he bet his overseer an iced mint julep on the Fourth of July, against which the latter wagered a wild turkey. Of course Madison won the turkey.—Country Life In America.

The Common Mistake.

"Bliggins says that when he went to school he was one of the brightest boys in his class."

"Yes," answered the sporting man; "that's where so many of us fall down—getting out of our class."—Washington Star.

A Vast Difference.

She—Mr. Riche says very bitter things about those lazy sons of his, but his wife is always making excuses for them. He—Yes, she makes excuses, but he has to make allowances for them. That's what angers him.

Thoughts go forth to purposes, purposes go forth in actions, actions form habits, habits decide char r, and character fixes our destiny.—Tryon Edwards.

The Breath of Life.

It's a significant fact that the strongest animal of its size, the gorilla, also has the largest lungs. Powerful lungs means powerful creatures. How to keep the breathing organs right should be man's chiefest study. Like thousands of others, Mrs. Ora A. Stephens, of Port Williams, O., has learned how to do this. She writes: "Three bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery stopped my cough of two years and cured me of what my friends thought consumption. Oh, it's grand for throat and lung troubles." Guaranteed by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

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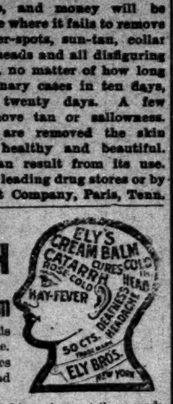

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The Curse of Scotland.

Among the reasons why the nine of diamonds has been called the curse of Scotland are the following:

Diamonds, nine of, called the curse of Scotland, from a Scotch member of parliament, part of whose family arms is the nine of diamonds, voting for the introduction of the malt tax into Scotland.—"Chronology; or, The Historian's Companian," Fourth Edition, by Thomas Tegg, London, 1826.

There is a George Campbell mentioned in Burton's "History of Scotland" as having caused the nine of diamonds to be called the curse of Scotland because he stole nine diamonds out of the royal crown in the reign of Mary Stuart, in consequence of which all Scotland was taxed.

Canaries.

Sometimes a canary's coat gets a pale, sickly yellow. Give him half an ounce of ground red pepper such as is used on your table and let the bird eat it as he likes. In a week he'll turn a beautiful orange color. Bird lice are troublesome at times. A pinch of powdered saffron put under the wings will drive away the pests. Gravel in the cage every day and a dish of tepid water for a bath every other day are indispensable to the singer's health and happiness.

Resigned.

"Now," said the physician who is noted for his heavy charges, "I must take your temperature."

"All right," responded the patient in a tone of utter resignation. "You've got about everything else I own. There's no reason why you shouldn't take that too."—Paris Journal.

Reassured.

"You haven't married me just to spite somebody else, have you?" she asked, looking anxiously up into his honest blue eyes.

"No, dear," he absentmindedly replied, "I took you for your money alone."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Two Loves.

"But, Emma, how can you prefer the plain and shabbily dressed Julius to my elegant and handsome brother?"

"That is quite simple. Your brother is in love with himself, and Julius with me."—Paris Journal.

Rich.

"I suppose your idea of a rich man is one who has everything he wants?"

"No; it's one who has everything I want."—Philadelphia Ledger.

A Veteran.

Lawyer—The cross examination did not seem to worry you a little bit. Have you had any previous experience? Client—Six children.

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AUCTION SALES.

By R. F. Knox, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF THE Corporation Court of Alexandria city, Virginia, rendered on February 19, 1906, in the chancery cause of William H. Hoeke, who sues, etc., vs. M. J. Wine's administrator, et als., the undersigned Special Commissioners of Sale will sell at public auction at 12 o'clock m.,

SATURDAY, MARCH 17, 1906,

in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market Building, Alexandria, Virginia, the following real estate, of which Miletus J. Wine died seized: ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND WITH THE IMPROVEMENTS THEREON, in the city of Alexandria, State of Virginia, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the west side of Alfred street 30 feet south of Gibbon street, and running thence south on Alfred street 20 feet; thence west parallel with Gibbon street 75 feet, more or less; thence north parallel with Alfred street 18 feet 6 inches to A and P. Dwyer's line; thence east parallel with Gibbon street 15 feet; thence north parallel with Alfred street 1 foot 6 inches, and thence east parallel with Gibbon street 60 feet to the beginning, together with all appurtenances to the same belonging.

Terms of Sale—1/4 of the purchase money in cash and the residue in two equal instalments at six and twelve months from the date of sale. The deferred instalments to bear interest at the legal rate and to be secured by the notes or the bonds of the purchasers thereof and the retention of the title until the payment of the purchase money in full.

JAMES R. CATON, JR.
SAMUEL P. FISHER,
Commissioners of Sale.

This is to certify that James R. Caton, jr., one of the Commissioners of Sale, has executed the bond required in this suit.

CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk.
By NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.
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By R. F. Knox, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF THE Corporation Court of Alexandria city, Virginia, rendered on June 11, 1901, in the chancery cause of Jane Whiting et vir. vs. Alice Johnson et vir. et als., the undersigned Special Commissioner of Sale will sell at public auction at 12 o'clock m.,

SATURDAY, MARCH 24, 1906,

in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market Building, Alexandria, Virginia, the following real estate, to-wit: ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND WITH THE IMPROVEMENTS THEREON, in the city of Alexandria, State of Virginia, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the east side of Columbus street 116 feet 7 inches south of Wolfe street, and running thence south on Columbus street 30 feet; thence east 102 feet; thence north 30 feet, and thence west 102 feet to the beginning.

Terms of Sale—1/4 of the purchase money in cash and balance in two equal payments at six and twelve months from day of sale, the deferred payments to bear legal interest and be secured by notes of the purchaser, and the retention of the title until the same are paid in full, or all cash at option of purchaser.

DOUGLASS STUART,
Commissioner of Sale.

This is to certify that Douglass Stuart, the Commissioner of Sale, has executed the bond required in this suit.

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PROPOSALS.

OFFICE OF CONSTRUCTING QUARTERMASTER, U. S. Army, Fort Hunt, Va., February 27, 1906.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon March 27, 1906, for the Extension of the Water Distribution System at Fort Washington, Md. Information regarding plans and specifications may be obtained at this office. The names of the manufacturers of the material to be used in the performance of the contract are required to be stated in the bid unless manifestly impracticable to do so. Proposals must also state the date upon which bidders will commence upon the work, and the date of the termination thereof. Proposals must be marked "Proposals for the Extension of the Water Distribution System at Fort Washington, Md.," and addressed to 1st Lieut. WILLIS P. VANCE, Arty Corps, U. S. Army, Constructing Quartermaster, Fort Hunt, Va. mar1,2,3,5,24,26

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7:52 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonburg Warrenton, Danville and way stations.

11:08 A. M.—Washington and Florida limited. Sleeping cars between New York and Jacksonville. Through first-class coaches between Washington and Jacksonville. Parlor cars week days Washington to Pinehurst. Dining car service between Washington and Columbia.

11:32 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail. First class coaches and drawing-room sleeper to New Orleans. Dining car service.

4:18 P. M.—Week Days—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch

5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.

7:11 P. M.—Week Days—Southern's Palm Limited. Solid Pullman train, electric lighted. Through sleepers to Aiken, Augusta, Savannah, Jacksonville and St. Augustine. Club and observation cars. Southern Railway dining car service.

7:47 P. M.—Daily—New York and Atlanta Express—First class coach to Atlanta; sleeper to Columbus, Ga. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays Sunset Route Tourist sleeper Washington to San Francisco.

10:07 P. M., No. 33—Daily—New York and Florida Express. Through coaches and sleepers to Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville. Sleepers to Augusta and Port Tampa, Dining car service a la carte.

10:17 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg). First class coach and sleeping car to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga and Memphis. Sleeper to Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service.

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Through trains from the South arrive at Alexandria 6:19, 9:35, 9 33, 9:57 (except Mondays) and 11.48 A. M. and 2:43, 9:13 and 9:33 P. M. daily. From Harrisonburg 11:38 A. M. week days and 9:03 P. M. daily. From Charlottesville 7:53 A. M. and from Lynchburg 9:03 P. M. daily.

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Washington Southern Ry

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In effect November 1, 1905

LEAVE ALEXANDRIA.

For Washington, from corner Prince and Royal streets, week days, at 5 45, 6 10x, 6 20, 6 35x, 6 45, 7 00x, 7 10, 7 20x, 7 35, 7 50x, 8 00, 8 15x, 8 20, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 25, 11 00, 11 15 and 11 40 a. m., 12 20, 12 45, 1 00, 1 20, 1 45, 2 10, 2 45, 3 00, 3 30, 3 45, 4 10, 4 35, 4 50x 5 10, 5 20, 5 35, 5 45, 6 00, 6 10, 6 30, 6 55, 7 15, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m.

Saturdays only, 6 45x, 8 15x and 10 10x p. m

Sundays—7 00, 8 10, 8 15, 9 00, 9 30, 10 10 10 45, 11 15 and 11 45 a. m., 12 15, 12 40, 1 05, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 20, 8 40, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30 and 11 10 p. m.

LEAVE WASHINGTON.

For Alexandria, from the corner of Pennsylvania avenue and 12th street, week days, 6 20 6 45x, 6 55, 7 10, 7 20x, 7 35, 7 45x, 7 55, 8 25 8 50, 9 10, 9 40, 10 00, 10 05x, 10 30, 11 00 11 30 a. m. 12 00 noon, 12 15 12 35, 1 00, 1 25 1 55, 2 00x, 2 30, 3 00, 3 30, 4 00, 4 15, 4 35x 4 40, 4 55x, 5 05, 5 15x, 5 25, 5 45x, 6 00, 6 15x 6 30 6 45x, 7 00 7 10, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10, 11 50 p. m. and 12 30 a. m.

Saturdays only, 7 30x, 9 00x and 11 00x p. m

Sundays—7 35, 8 45, 9 00, 9 35, 10 10, 10 40 11 00, 1 30 a. m., 12 00 noon, 12 30, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m

FOR MOUNT VERNON.

Leave Alexandria for Mount Vernon, week days, 5 45, 6 52, 8 52, 10 32, 11 32 a. m., 12 32, 1 32 2 32, 3 32, 4 47, 5 40, 7 05 and 9 05 p. m

Sundays—7 00, 9 32, 10 41, 11 40 a. m., 12 40, 1 40, 2 40 3 40, 4 47, 7 05, 9 05 and 10 25 p. m.

FOR ARLINGTON.

Leave Alexandria 7 10, 7 35, 8 20, 9 30, 10 00, 10 25, 11 15, 11 40 a. m., 12 20, 1 1 45, 2 10, 2 40, 3 00, 3 45, 4 35, 5 10, 5 6 30, 6 55, 7 50 p. m.

Sundays—8 10, 9 30, 10 10, 10 45, 11 15, 11 a. m., 12 15, 12 40, 1 05, 1 20, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 5 00, 5 40, 6 20, 7 00 and 7 40 p m.

FOR ROSSLYN

Leave Alexandria for Rosslyn, week days 7 10, 7 35, 8 20, 9 00, 10 00, 10 25, 11 40 a. m., 1 00, 2 45, 3 45, 4 35, 5 10, 5 45, 6 30, 6 55 and 7 50 p. m.

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